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## **New England Biolabs Product Specification**

Product Name: AflIII Catalog #: R0541S/L Concentration:

10,000 units/ml

Unit Definition: One unit is defined as the amount of enzyme required to digest 1 µg of Lambda DNA in NEBuffer™ r3.1 in 1 hour at

37°C in a total reaction volume of 50 μl.

Shelf Life: 24 months Storage Temp: -20°C

Storage Conditions: 10 mM Tris-HCl, 500 mM NaCl ,1 mM DTT , 0.1 mM EDTA , 50 % Glycerol , 200 μg/ml rAlbumin (pH 7.4 @)

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## Assay Name/Specification (minimum release criteria)

Exonuclease Activity (Radioactivity Release) - A 50 μl reaction in NEBuffer<sup>TM</sup> r3.1 containing 1 μg of a mixture of single and doublestranded [ <sup>3</sup>H] E. coli DNA and a minimum of 50 units of AfIIII incubated for 4 hours at 37°C releases <0.1% of the total radioactivity.

Functional Testing (15 minute Digest) - A 50 μl reaction in NEBuffer™ r3.1 containing 1 μg of Lambda DNA and 1 μl of AflIII incubated for 15 minutes at 37°C results in complete digestion as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.

Ligation and Recutting (Terminal Integrity) - After a 5-fold over-digestion of Lambda DNA with AfIIII, >95% of the DNA fragments can be ligated with T4 DNA ligase in 16 hours at 16°C. Of these ligated fragments, >95% can be recut with AfIIII.

Non-Specific DNase Activity (16 Hour) - A 50 μl reaction in NEBuffer<sup>TM</sup> r3.1 containing 1 μg of Lambda DNA and a minimum of 30 units of AfIIII incubated for 16 hours at 37°C results in a DNA pattern free of detectable nuclease degradation as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.

Protein Purity Assay (SDS-PAGE) - AfIIII is ≥ 95% pure as determined by SDS-PAGE analysis using Coomassie Blue detection.

qPCR DNA Contamination (E. coli Genomic) - A minimum of 10 units of AfIIII is screened for the presence of E. coli genomic DNA using SYBR® Green qPCR with primers specific for the E. coli 16S rRNA locus. Results are quantified using a standard curve generated from purified E. coli genomic DNA. The measured level of E. coli genomic DNA contamination is ≤ 1 E. coli genome.

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